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1. JAN OLSSON, INTERNATIONAL SECRETARY OF SWEDISH METAL-WORKERS UNION, TELEPHONED LABOR ATTACHE NOVEMBER 4 TO SAY HE WAS LEAVING THAT EVENING FOR US TO ATTEND CONFERENCE ON MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS AT UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN IN LANSING, NOVEMBER 10-13. OLSSON WAS MEMBER OF NORDIC METALWORKERS TEAM THAT CANCELED VISIT TO US AS RESULT OF NYSTROM VISA REFUSAL. HE TOLD LABATT THAT UPCOMING TRIP WILL INCLUDE STOPOVER IN WASHINGTON FOR APPROXIMATELY THREE DAYS FROM ARRIVAL EVENING NOVEMBER 5. WHILE IN WASHINGTON HE WILL TALK TO UAW, STEELWORKERS AND MACHINISTS UNION OFFICIALS ABOUT POSSIBILITY OF RESCHEDULING NORDIC METAL-WORKERS VISIT TO US FOR SOMETIME NEXT YEAR.

2. OLSSON WELCOMED SUGGESTION TO CALL EUR LABOR ADVISER DANIEL GOOTT FOR APPOINTMENT AND SAID HE WOULD DO SO.

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3. COMMENT. OLSSON IS BRIGHT YOUNG MAN, RELAXED,

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FRIENDLY AND EASY CONVERSATIONALIST. HE WAS ONLY MILDLY REPROACHFUL ABOUT NYSTROM AFFAIR. IN COMMENT TO LABATT AFTERWARD, HE SAID USG UNWILLINGNESS ADMIT NYSTROM MADE LITTLE SENSE TO HIM, BUT HE WOULD HAVE FAVORED GOING AHEAD WITH VISIT ANYWAY.
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